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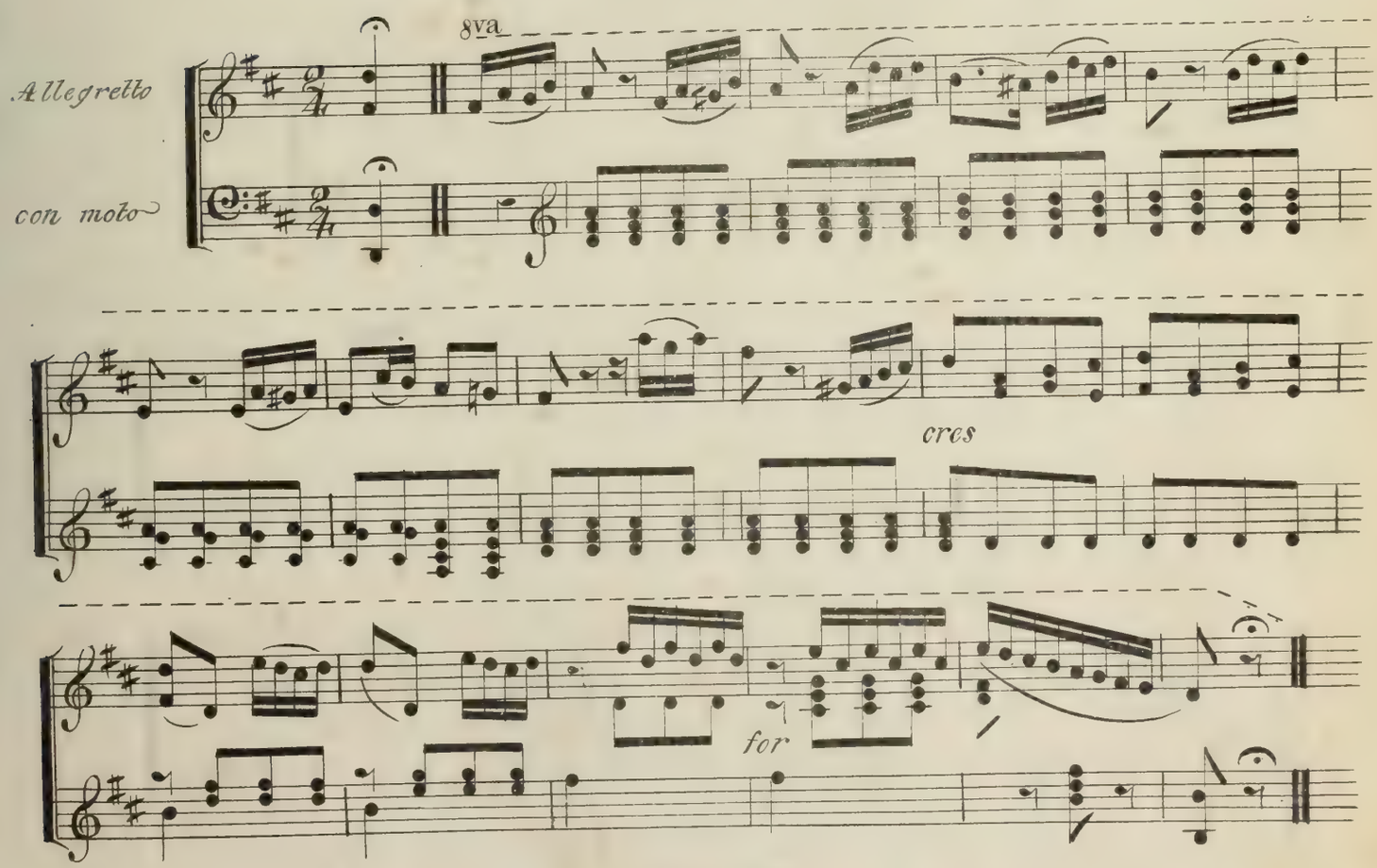


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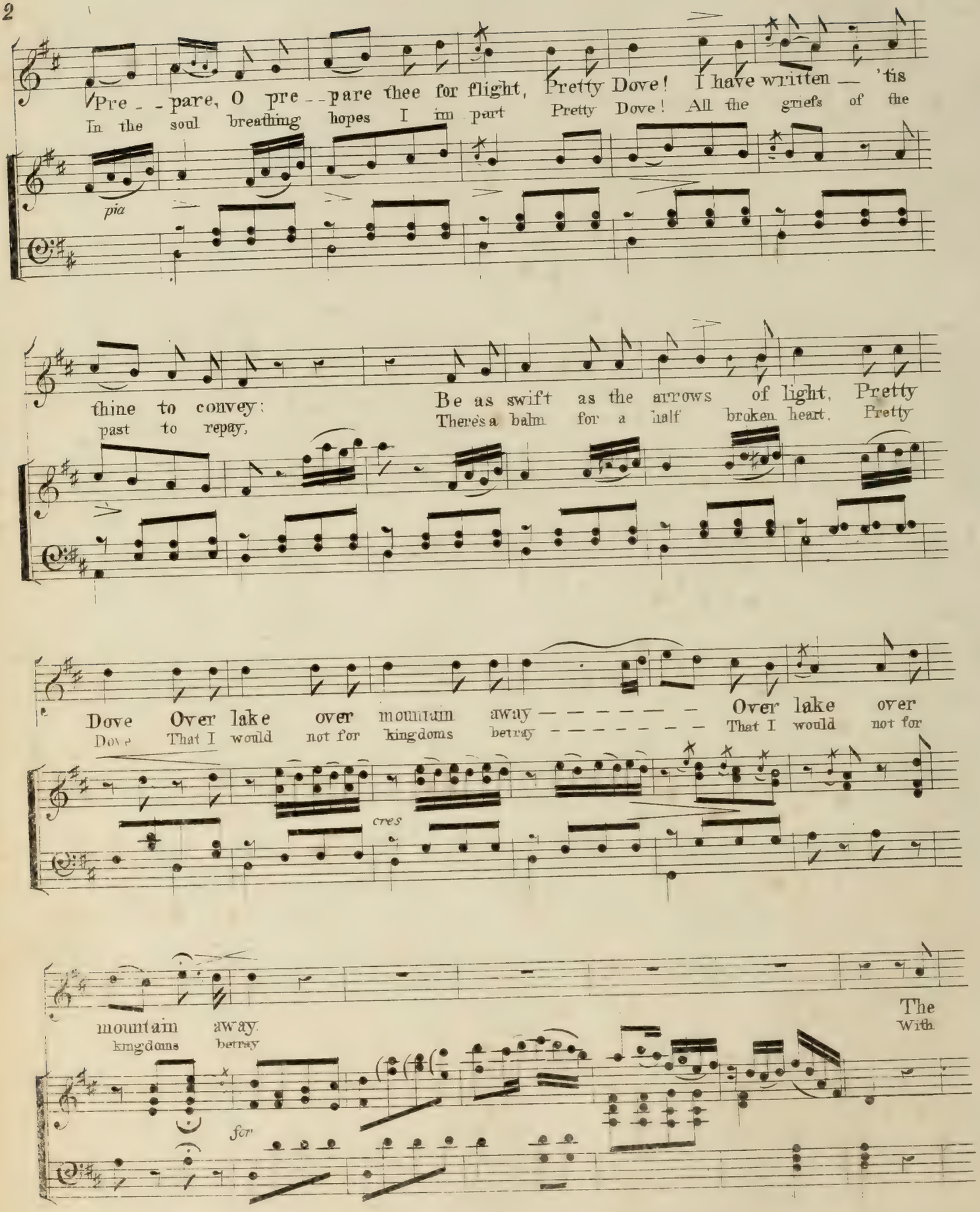
Pre - - pare, O pre - - pare thee for flight, Pretty Dove! I have written — 'tis
In the soul breathing hopes I im part Pretty Dove! All the griefs of the
pia
thine to convey:
past to repay,
Be as swift as the arrows of light, Pretty
There's a balm for a half broken heart, Pretty
Dove Over lake over mountain away — — — — — — Over lake over
Dove That I would not for kingdoms betray — — — — — — — That I would not for
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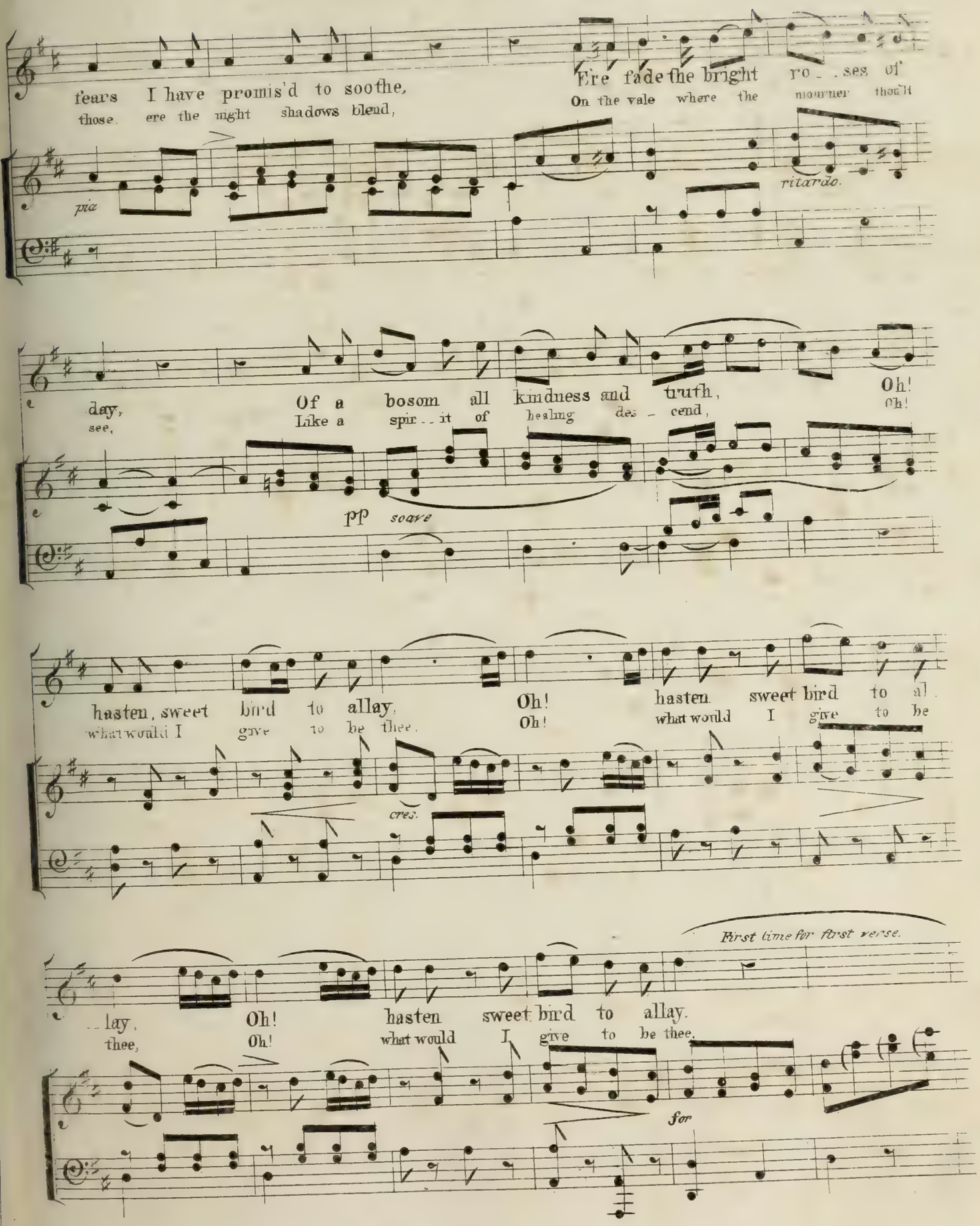
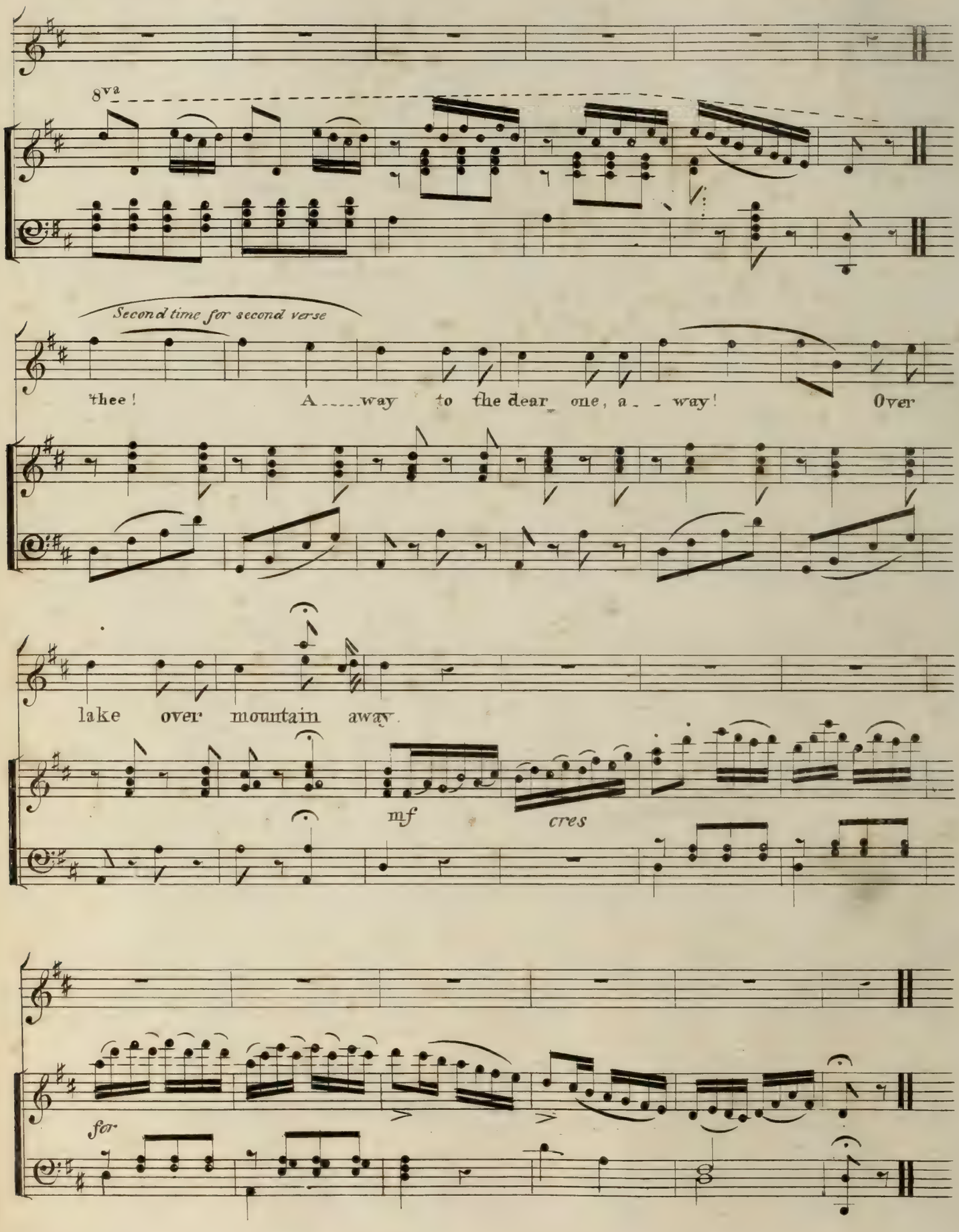

fears I have promis'd to soothe,
those ere the night shadows blend,
Ere fade the bright ro - ses of
On the vale where the mourner thought
pia
ritardo.
day,
see,
Of a bosom all kindness and truth,
Like a spir - it of healing des - cend,
Oh!
Oh!
pp soave
hasten, sweet bird to allay,
what would I give to be thee.
Oh!
Oh!
hasten sweet bird to al
what would I give to be
cres.
First time for first verse.
- lay,
thee,
Oh!
Oh!
hasten sweet bird to allay.
what would I give to be thee.
for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Second time for second verse
thee! A-way to the dear one, a-way! Over
lake over mountain away.
mf
cres
for

B.A. L. Blind
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